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# CALENDAR

December 25, 2006

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- ♦ **TIMETABLE FOR DECISIONS**

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**Map of DEQ Permit and Other Decisions Before the Office of the Director**



Information relating to these decisions is available on the following pages.

**PART I:  
ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES, PERMITTING AND RELATED REGULATIONS**

**Permit Decisions Before the Office of the Director**

**AIR QUALITY  
DIVISION**  
See Map – No. ❶

**MICHIGAN PAVING AND MATERIALS COMPANY, BLACKMAN TOWNSHIP, JACKSON COUNTY**, proposed Permit to Install application for modification and operation of an existing hot mix asphalt facility. The facility is located at 1600 North Elm Street, Jackson, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). Public comment will be taken through January 10, 2007. If requested by January 10, 2007, a hearing will be held January 17, 2007 (see January 17 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of Lynn Fiedler, Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: **David Riddle**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7081. Decision-maker: **G. Vinson Hellwig**, Air Quality Division Chief.

**AIR QUALITY  
DIVISION**  
See Map – No. ❷

**PAMAR ENTERPRISES, CHESTERFIELD TOWNSHIP, MACOMB COUNTY**. Written comments are being accepted on a proposed draft permit and Consent Order. The draft permit is for operation of a portable nonmetallic mineral crushing operation, and the draft Consent Order is to resolve the alleged violations of the Clean Air Act as well as address the Permit to Install. The facility is located at 52011 Gratiot Avenue, Chesterfield Township, Michigan. You may obtain copies of the draft Consent Order, draft permit, and Staff Activity Reports on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). Public comment will be taken through January 8, 2007. Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan, 48909, to the attention of Lynn Fiedler, Permit Section Supervisor. A public hearing and an informal open house will be held on January 8, 2007 (see January 8 listing in this calendar). Information contact for Consent Order: **Thomas Andrzejewski**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-0134. Information contact for permit: **Matt Hall**, Air Quality Division 517-241-2144. Decision-maker: **G. Vinson Hellwig**, Air Quality Division Chief.

**WASTE AND  
HAZARDOUS  
MATERIALS  
DIVISION**  
See Map – No. ❸

**PINE TREE ACRES, INC., MACOMB COUNTY**. Consideration of a Part 115 Solid Waste Management construction permit application for a type II solid waste landfill (both horizontal and vertical expansion) on the existing property. A decision is expected by March 16, 2007. Information Contact: **Benedict Okwumabua**, Waste and Hazardous Materials Division, 734-953-3830, or Email at [okwumabb@michigan.gov](mailto:okwumabb@michigan.gov). Decision-maker: **DEQ Director**.

**Other Decisions Before the Office of the Director**

**AIR QUALITY  
DIVISION**  
See Map – No. ❹

**FRANKLIN METAL TRADING COMPANY, LAKE ODESSA, IONIA COUNTY**. Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). Submit written comments to Mike Kovalchick, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by January 24, 2007. If a request is received in writing by January 24, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: **Mike Kovalchick**, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6343. Decision-maker: **G. Vinson Hellwig**, Air Quality Division Chief.

**AIR QUALITY  
DIVISION**  
See Map – No. ❺

**LOUISIANA PACIFIC CORPORATION, NEWBERRY FACILITY, NEWBERRY, LUCE COUNTY**. Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). Submit written comments to Mike Kovalchick, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by December 27, 2006. If a request is received in writing by December 27, 2006, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: **Mike Kovalchick**, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6343. Decision-maker: **G. Vinson Hellwig**, Air Quality Division Chief.

## AIR QUALITY DIVISION See Map – No. ⑥

**MERIT ENERGY COMPANY, doing business at several locations within MANISTEE, OSCODA, AND OTSEGO COUNTIES.** Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). Submit written comments to Malcolm Mead-O'Brien, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by December 27, 2006. If a request is received in writing by December 27, 2006, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: **Malcolm Mead-O'Brien**, Air Quality Division, 517-241-2094. Decision-maker: **G. Vinson Hellwig**, Air Quality Division Chief.

## ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND SERVICES DIVISION See Map – No. ⑦

**CLEAN CORPORATE CITIZEN DESIGNATION, DETROIT EDISON RIVER ROUGE POWER PLANT, RIVER ROUGE, WAYNE COUNTY.** The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has received an application for Clean Corporate Citizen (C3) designation from Detroit Edison River Rouge Power Plant as provided for under Administrative Rules R324.1508 to R324.1511: Clean Corporate Citizen Program. A decision on the C3 designation approval or disapproval will be made on or before January 30, 2007. The C3 program provides incentives for improved environmental protection. Regulated establishments that have demonstrated environmental stewardship can receive C3 designation and public recognition for their efforts and are entitled to certain regulatory benefits. Information Contact: **Kelie Bond**, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-241-7969. Decision-maker: **DEQ Director**.

## ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND SERVICES DIVISION See Map – No. ⑧

**CLEAN CORPORATE CITIZEN DESIGNATION, MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY NATIONAL SUPERCONDUCTING CYCLOTRON, EAST LANSING, INGHAM COUNTY, MICHIGAN.** The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has received an application for Clean Corporate Citizen (C3) designation from Michigan State University National Superconducting Cyclotron as provided for under Administrative Rules R324.1508: Clean Corporate Citizen Program. A decision on the C3 designation approval or disapproval will be made on or before February 11, 2007. The C3 program provides incentives for improved environmental protection. Regulated establishments that have demonstrated environmental stewardship can receive C3 designation and public recognition for their efforts and are entitled to certain regulatory benefits. Information Contact: **Kelie Bond**, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-241-7969. Decision-maker: **DEQ Director**.

## Proposed Settlements of Contested Cases

NONE

## Administrative Rules Promulgation

## AIR QUALITY DIVISION

**PART 55, AIR POLLUTION CONTROL, NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED.** On December 4, 2006, the department's proposed amendments to the air pollution control rules (SOAHR 2004-008EQ) were filed with the Secretary of State and became effective immediately. This amendment adds Part 18, Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) of Air Quality, R 336.2801 to R 336.2819, R 336.2823, and R 336.2830. These new rules adopt a state PSD air permit program, which will be submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as a revision to the State Implementation Plan. The final rules can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair) (click on "Laws & Rules"). Copies of the final rules may also be obtained by contacting the Air Quality Division, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, 525 West Allegan Street, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760. Information Contact: **Jeffrey Rathbun**, Air Quality Division, 517-241-8072., or Email at [rathbuja@michigan.gov](mailto:rathbuja@michigan.gov).

## Announcements

## ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND SERVICES DIVISION

**S2 GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATIONS (State Revolving Fund/Strategic Water Quality Initiatives Fund).** Pursuant to Parts 52 and 53 of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, the following S2 Grant applications have been received by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Environmental Science and Services Division, Revolving Loan and Operator Certification Section. The S2 Grant Program provides

funding from the sale of Great Lakes Water Quality Bonds to local units of government to complete comprehensive project planning for wastewater infrastructure and to design needed system improvements. Recipients must then utilize the revolving loan fund programs (State Revolving Fund or Strategic Water Quality Initiatives Fund) to finance project construction.

9104-01  
Township of Elba, Lapeer Co.  
Grant Req. \$58,500 for Planning  
Received November 28, 2006

9105-01  
City of Saginaw, Saginaw Co.  
Grant Req. \$273,825 for Revenue System Development and Design  
Received November 30, 2006

These applications will be considered within the next 60 days for administrative completeness and project eligibility. Questions about these applications should be directed to 517-373-2161.

## Public Hearings and Meetings

**Note: Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in any of the meetings noted in this Calendar should call or write the appropriate meeting information contact listed below at least a week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance.**

### DECEMBER 2006

**INTENT TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR CLEAN CORPORATE CITIZEN DESIGNATION, RUMBLE TRUCKING AND LOGISTICS, INC., 205 N. RIDGE STREET, PORT SANILAC, MICHIGAN 48469, SANILAC COUNTY.** The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has received notice from Rumble Trucking and Logistics, Inc., of its intent to apply for Clean Corporate Citizen (C3) designation. The C3 program provides incentives for improved environmental protection. Regulated establishments that have demonstrated environmental stewardship can receive C3 designation and public recognition for their efforts and are entitled to certain regulatory benefits. As part of the application process, Rumble Trucking and Logistics, Inc., will be accepting public comments and making its application available for public review until December 6, 2006. Contact Rumble Trucking and Logistics, Inc., directly to submit comments or for information on reviewing the application. Written comments may also be submitted directly to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Environmental Science and Services Division, P.O. Box 30457, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7957, Attn: Clean Corporate Citizen Program. Please include the specific facility name in any letters submitted for public comment. Information Contact: **Julie A. Fagan**, Rumble Trucking and Logistics, Inc., 810-376-4333.

### DECEMBER 27, 2006

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING D-n-R (SRN: M4403), WESTLAND, WAYNE COUNTY,** for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of two vapor degreasing tanks. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at **www.michigan.gov/deqair**. The responsible official of the stationary source is Dale Roberts Jr, 38475 Webb Road, Westland, Michigan 48185. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Jill Placco, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Detroit Field Office, 3058 West Grand Boulevard, Suite 2-300, Detroit, Michigan 48202. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, Southeast Michigan District Supervisor. If requested in writing by December 27, 2006, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Jill Placco**, Air Quality Division, 313-456-4689.

### DECEMBER 27, 2006

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING LOUISIANA PACIFIC CORPORATION, NEWBERRY FACILITY, NEWBERRY, LUCE COUNTY.** Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at **www.michigan.gov/deqair**. Submit written comments to Mike Kovalchick, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by December 27, 2006. If a request is received in writing by December 27, 2006, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: **Mike Kovalchick**, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6343.

DECEMBER 27, 2006	<b>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MERIT ENERGY COMPANY, doing business at several locations within MANISTEE, OSCODA, AND OTSEGO COUNTIES.</b> Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at <a href="http://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a> . Submit written comments to Malcolm Mead-O'Brien, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by December 27, 2006. If a request is received in writing by December 27, 2006, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: <b>Malcolm Mead-O'Brien</b> , Air Quality Division, 517-241-2094.
DECEMBER 27, 2006	<b>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING VACUUM ORNA METAL (SRN: B4550), ROMULUS, WAYNE COUNTY,</b> for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of four flow coat machines and three vacuum metalizing machines. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="http://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a> . The responsible official of the stationary source is Frank Chester, 11380 Harrison Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Jill Placco, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Detroit Field Office, 3058 West Grand Boulevard, Suite 2-300, Detroit, Michigan 48202. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, Southeast Michigan District Supervisor. If requested in writing by December 27, 2006, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: <b>Jill Placco</b> , Air Quality Division, 313-456-4689.
JANUARY 3, 2007	<b>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING LIBERTY RENEWABLE FUELS, LLC, NORTHSTAR TOWNSHIP, GRATIOT COUNTY,</b> proposed Permit to Install application for installation and operation of a dry mill ethanol plant to produce fuel grade ethanol from corn. The facility will be located at Section 5 of Northstar Township, Gratiot County, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="http://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a> . If requested by January 3, 2007, a hearing will be held January 9, 2007 (see January 9 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of Lynn Fiedler, Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: <b>Andrew Drury</b> , Air Quality Division, 517-335-3107.
JANUARY 4, 2007	<b>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING ASAMA PARKWAY, COLDWATER, BRANCH COUNTY,</b> proposed Permit to Install application for installation and operation of a new expansion iron foundry facility. The public comment period and hearing, if requested, are to allow all interested parties the opportunity to comment on the department's proposed conditional approval of a Permit to Install (PTI) and a Notice of Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT) Approval. Additionally, the revision to the existing permit will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-N5814-2006. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The facility is located at 180 Asama Parkway, Coldwater, Michigan. Renewable Operating Permit and New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="http://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a> . If requested by January 4, 2007, a hearing will be held January 11, 2007 (see January 11 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of Lynn Fiedler, Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: <b>Hien Nguyen</b> , Air Quality Division, 517-373-7085.
JANUARY 4, 2007	<b>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING CADILLAC ASPHALT, LLC, WHITMORE LAKE, LIVINGSTON COUNTY,</b> proposed Permit to Install application for modification and operation of an existing hot mix asphalt facility. The facility is located at 11620 Whitmore Lake Road, Whitmore Lake, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="http://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a> . If requested by January 4, 2007, a hearing will be held January 10, 2007 (see January 10 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of Lynn Fiedler, Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: <b>David Riddle</b> , Air Quality Division, 517-373-7081.
JANUARY 8, 2007 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	<b>PUBLIC INFORMAL QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION IN OPEN HOUSE FORMAT REGARDING PAMAR ENTERPRISES, CHESTERFIELD TOWNSHIP, MACOMB COUNTY,</b> proposed draft permit and Consent Order. The draft permit is for operation of a portable nonmetallic

mineral crushing operation, and the draft Consent Order is to resolve the alleged violations of the Clean Air Act as well as address the Permit to Install. During this question and answer session, staff will be available to provide information and answer questions about the proposed draft permit and Consent Order; no formal presentation will be given. The facility is located at 52011 Gratiot Avenue, Chesterfield Township, Michigan. The informal question and answer session for the public will be held in the Main Meeting Room, Chesterfield Township Office, 47275 Sugarbush Road, Chesterfield, Michigan. The public hearing will immediately follow at 6:00 p.m. with formal testimony taken at that time. Information contact for Consent Order: **Thomas Andrzejewski**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-0134. Information contact for permit: **Matt Hall**, Air Quality Division, 517-241-2144.

**JANUARY 8, 2007**  
**6:00 p.m.**

**PUBLIC HEARING AND DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING PAMAR ENTERPRISES, CHESTERFIELD TOWNSHIP, MACOMB COUNTY.** Written comments are being accepted on a proposed draft permit and Consent Order. The draft permit is for operation of a portable nonmetallic mineral crushing operation, and the draft Consent Order is to resolve the alleged violations of the Clean Air Act as well as address the Permit to Install. The facility is located at 52011 Gratiot Avenue, Chesterfield Township, Michigan. You may obtain copies of the draft Consent Order, draft permit, and Staff Activity Reports on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of Lynn Fiedler, Permit Section Supervisor. The public hearing will be held in the Main Meeting Room, Chesterfield Township Office, 47275 Sugarbush Road, Chesterfield, Michigan. Information contact for Consent Order: **Thomas Andrzejewski**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-0134. Information contact for permit: **Matt Hall**, Air Quality Division 517-241-2144.

**JANUARY 9, 2007**  
**1:00 p.m.**

**TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING LIBERTY RENEWABLE FUELS, LLC, NORTHSTAR TOWNSHIP, GRATIOT COUNTY,** proposed Permit to Install application for installation and operation of a dry mill ethanol plant to produce fuel grade ethanol from corn. The facility will be located at Section 5 of Northstar Township, Gratiot County, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). If requested by January 3, 2007, a public hearing will be held at Constitution Hall, Lillian Hatcher Conference Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor North, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. Information Contact: **Andrew Drury**, Air Quality Division, 517-335-3107.

**JANUARY 9, 2007**  
**7:00 p.m.**

**PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY HARBOR SHORES CRI, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.** The Land and Water Management Division will hold a public hearing at the Michigan Works Service Center, Anchor Rooms A, B, and C, 499 West Main Street, Benton Harbor, Michigan. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 06-11-0142-P, submitted by Harbor Shores CRI, 111 Lyon Street NW, Suite 900, Grand Rapids, Michigan. The applicant proposes to construct an 18-hole public golf course, a boat launch, and new access roads as part of an economic revitalization effort in Benton Harbor and surrounding areas. Information Contact: **Ben Zimont**, Land and Water Management Division, 269-567-3567.

**JANUARY 10, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GENERAL MOTORS - LANSING GRAND RIVER ASSEMBLY CENTER (SRN: A1641), LANSING, INGHAM COUNTY,** for the proposed approval of a draft initial Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of an automobile painting and assembly plant. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). The responsible official of the stationary source is Philip Kienle, Plant Manager, Lansing Grand River Assembly, 920 Townsend Street, Mail Code 489-066-600, Lansing, Michigan 48921. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Michael F. Masterson, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Lansing District Office, P.O. Box 30242, Lansing, Michigan 48909. The decision-maker for the permit is Michael F. Masterson, Lansing District Supervisor. If requested in writing by January 10, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Robert Byrnes**, Air Quality Division, 517-241-2182.

**JANUARY 10, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MICHIGAN PAVING AND MATERIALS COMPANY, BLACKMAN TOWNSHIP, JACKSON COUNTY,** proposed Permit to Install application for modification and operation of an existing hot mix asphalt facility. The facility is located at 1600 North Elm Street, Jackson, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). If requested by January 10, 2007, a hearing will

be held January 17, 2007 (see January 17 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of Lynn Fiedler, Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: **David Riddle**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7081.

**JANUARY 10, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING PAULSTRA CRC CORPORATION (SRN: E5094), GRAND RAPIDS, KENT COUNTY**, for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of an engine mount manufacturing facility. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). The responsible official of the stationary source is Andre Janin, President & CEO, 460 Fuller Avenue NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Cal Peters, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Grand Rapids District Office, 4460 44<sup>th</sup> Street SE, Kentwood, Michigan 49512. The decision-maker for the permit is Heidi Hollenbach, Grand Rapids District Supervisor. If requested in writing by January 10, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Cal Peters**, Air Quality Division, 616-356-0245.

**JANUARY 10, 2007  
7:00 p.m.**

**TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING CADILLAC ASPHALT, LLC, WHITMORE LAKE, LIVINGSTON COUNTY**, proposed Permit to Install application for modification and operation of an existing hot mix asphalt facility. The facility is located at 11620 Whitmore Lake Road, Whitmore Lake, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). If requested by January 4, 2007, a public hearing will be held in the Theater, Whitmore Lake Public High School, 7430 Whitmore Lake Road, Whitmore Lake, Michigan. Information Contact: **David Riddle**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7081.

**JANUARY 10, 2007  
7:00 p.m.**

**PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY CASS LAKE INVESTMENTORS, LLC, SOUTHFIELD, MICHIGAN**. The Land and Water Management Division will hold a public hearing at the Waterford Township Hall, 5200 Civic Center Drive, Waterford, Michigan. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 06-63-0292-P, submitted by Cass Lake Investors, LLC, 3000 Town Center, Suite 2800, Southfield, Michigan. The applicant proposes to convert an existing marina facility into a 41-unit Planned Approval Use, with 109 slips. Information Contact: **Justin Smith**, Land and Water Management Division, 586-753-3871.

**JANUARY 11, 2007  
9:00 a.m.**

**TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING ASAMA PARKWAY, COLDWATER, BRANCH COUNTY**, proposed Permit to Install application for proposed installation and operation of a new expansion iron foundry facility. The public comment period and hearing, if requested, are to allow all interested parties the opportunity to comment on the department's proposed conditional approval of a Permit to Install (PTI) and a Notice of Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT) Approval. Additionally, the revision to the existing permit will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-N5814-2006. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The facility is located at 180 Asama Parkway, Coldwater, Michigan. Renewable Operating Permit and New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). If requested by January 4, 2007, a public hearing will be held in Constitution Hall, Lillian Hatcher Conference Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor North, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. Information Contact: **Hien Nguyen**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7085.

**JANUARY 16, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING FIRST ENERGY SUMPTER PLANT (SRN: M4854), BELLEVILLE, WAYNE COUNTY**, for the proposed approval of a draft initial Acid Rain Permit and a draft initial Nitrogen Oxide Budget Permit for the operation of four stationary natural gas-fired turbines. The Acid Rain Permit and the Nitrogen Oxide Budget Permit public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). The responsible official of the stationary source is Raymond L. Evans, 76 South Main Street, Akron, Ohio 44308. Comments on the draft permits are to be submitted to Brian Carley, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Jackson District Office, 301 East Louis Glick Highway, Jackson, Michigan 49201. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, Southeast Michigan District Supervisor. If requested in writing by January 16, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Brian Carley**, Air Quality Division, 517-780-7843.

**JANUARY 16, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING FIRST ENERGY SUMPTER PLANT (SRN: M4854), BELLEVILLE, WAYNE COUNTY**, for the proposed approval of a draft initial Renewable



Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of four stationary natural gas-fired turbines. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). The responsible official of the stationary source is Timothy Hicks, 8509 Rawsonville Road, Belleville, Michigan 48111. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Katie Koster, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Detroit Field Office, 3058 West Grand Boulevard, Suite 2-300, Detroit, Michigan. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, Southeast Michigan District Supervisor. If requested in writing by January 16, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Katie Koster**, Air Quality Division, 313-456-4678.

**JANUARY 17, 2007  
7:00 p.m.**

**TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING MICHIGAN PAVING AND MATERIALS COMPANY, BLACKMAN TOWNSHIP, JACKSON COUNTY**, proposed Permit to Install application for modification and operation of an existing hot mix asphalt facility. The facility is located at 1600 North Elm Street, Jackson, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). If a public hearing is requested in writing by January 10, 2007, a public hearing will be held in the Cafeteria, Northeast Elementary School, 1024 Fleming Street, Jackson, Michigan. Information Contact: **David Riddle**, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7081.

**JANUARY 24, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING DETROIT EDISON HANCOCK STATION (SRN: B2805), COMMERCE TOWNSHIP, OAKLAND COUNTY**, for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of six natural gas-fired peaking units used to generate electricity. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). The responsible official of the stationary source is Thomas Tanciar, 2000 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, 655 G.O., Detroit, Michigan 48226. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Robert Elmouchi, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Southeast Michigan District Office, 27700 Donald Court, Warren, Michigan 48092. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, District Supervisor. If requested in writing by January 24, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Robert Elmouchi**, Air Quality Division, 586-753-3740.

**JANUARY 24, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING FRANKLIN METAL TRADING COMPANY, LAKE ODESSA, IONIA COUNTY**. Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). Submit written comments to Mike Kovalchick, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by January 24, 2007. If a request is received in writing by January 24, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: **Mike Kovalchick**, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6343.

**JANUARY 29, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GREAT LAKES GAS TRANSMISSION (SRN: B8573), BOYNE FALLS, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY**, for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of Boyne Falls Compressor Station No. 11. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). The responsible official of the stationary source is Vernon J. Meier, Director of Operations, 5250 Corporate Drive, Troy, Michigan 48098. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to William Rogers, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Gaylord Field Office, 2100 M-32 West, Gaylord, Michigan 49735. The decision-maker for the permit is Janis Denman, Cadillac District Supervisor. If requested in writing by January 29, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **William Rogers**, Air Quality Division, 989-705-3406.

**JANUARY 31, 2007  
6:30 p.m.**

**PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING REPUBLIC SERVICES OF MICHIGAN I, LLC AND SUMPTER ENERGY ASSOCIATES (SRN: N5986), NEW BOSTON, WAYNE COUNTY**, for the Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-N5986-200x for the operation of a municipal waste landfill at 28800 Clark Road. The permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqair](http://www.michigan.gov/deqair). The

responsible officials of the stationary source are Matt Neely, Area President, Republic Services of Michigan I, LLC, and Scott Salisbury, President, Sumpter Energy Associates, 29261 Wall Street, Wixom, Michigan 48393. Comments can be Emailed to Scott Klipa at [klipas@michigan.gov](mailto:klipas@michigan.gov), Permit Engineer, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality. Please copy Wilhemina McLemore at [mclemorw@michigan.gov](mailto:mclemorw@michigan.gov), District Supervisor, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality. The public hearing will be held at the Huron High School Auditorium, 32044 Huron River Drive, New Boston, Michigan. Information Contact: **Scott Klipa**, Air Quality Division, 517-241-2215, or Email at [klipas@michigan.gov](mailto:klipas@michigan.gov).

## Division Permit Contacts

For additional information on permits, contact:

<b>Air Quality Division</b>	517-373-7074 517-335-4607	<b>Pam Blue</b> <b>Cari DeBruler</b>
<b>Land and Water Management Division</b> (land/water interface permits)	517-373-8798	<b>Wendy Fitzner</b>
<b>Office of Geological Survey</b> (oil, gas, mineral well, and sand dune mining permits)	517-241-1545	<b>Thomas Godbold</b>
<b>Waste &amp; Hazardous Materials Division</b>	517-335-4034	<b>Wanda Williams</b>
<b>Water Bureau</b> (surface water and groundwater permits)	517-241-1346	<b>Susan Ashcraft</b>

## PART II: ENVIRONMENTAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING PROGRAMS

### Conferences, Workshops, and Training

**ANNOUNCEMENT** – The DEQ's Environmental Science & Services Division (ESSD) now accepts Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express for all DEQ/ESSD workshop payments!

**JANUARY 9, 2007**  
**8:30 – 11:00 a.m.**

**MICHIGAN AIR EMISSIONS REPORTING SYSTEM (MAERS) REFRESHER COURSE, LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE, WEST CAMPUS, LANSING, MICHIGAN.** The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) is pleased to offer an "early-bird" MAERS two-hour refresher course for those who are familiar with completing MAERS reports and just need a refresher. The session will provide a review of the basic MAERS concepts and highlight changes and new features. In addition to getting a jump start on training, attendees will receive an advance copy of the MAERS version 2006.0.0 software, which is normally sent to subject facilities in mid-January. Attendees will also receive an advance copy of the "MAERS Workbook" and other guidance materials. This class will NOT be held in a computer lab; therefore, attendees are encouraged to bring their own laptop to the class. Online registration is available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "Upcoming DEQ Workshops." Registration fee is \$50. Registration Information Contact: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or Email at [deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov). Information Contact: **Jim Ostrowski**, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-241-8057, or Email at [ostrowsj@michigan.gov](mailto:ostrowsj@michigan.gov). **Please note:** The MDEQ will continue to offer the more detailed *Introduction to MAERS* training in February 2007 at various locations throughout the state. The *Introduction to MAERS* training is geared to those who have never completed a MAERS report before or those who need more comprehensive training on the concepts and software.

**JANUARY 2007**

**SARA TITLE III TIER TWO WORKSHOPS, VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN.** Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III), also known as the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act, requires facilities to report information that can be vital to the community's safety. Over 6,000 facilities in Michigan annually submit Tier Two hazardous chemical inventory reports required by SARA Title III to the State Emergency

Response Commission (SERC), Local Emergency Planning Committees (LEPCs), and local fire departments. **IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT: Tier Two reports will be submitted online in 2007!** The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality's Environmental Science and Services Division presents the SARA Title III Tier Two workshop, where attendees will learn how to complete and submit the online Tier Two report. SARA Title III emergency planning notification requirements and chemical release reporting requirements in Michigan will also be addressed. This half-day workshop is recommended for owners, operators, and environmental and safety personnel of facilities that have hazardous materials (material safety data sheets required by OSHA) on site. Environmental consultants, LEPCs, and fire department personnel can also benefit from this workshop and are encouraged to attend. A full brochure and online registration are available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "Upcoming DEQ Workshops." Registration fee is \$50. Registration Information Contact: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or Email at [deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov). Information Contact: **Susan Parker**, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-335-4650, or Email at [parkerse@michigan.gov](mailto:parkerse@michigan.gov).

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
1/16/07	Hotel Baronette, Novi
1/18/07	Prince Conference Center at Calvin College, Grand Rapids
1/23/07	Mt. Pleasant Comfort Inn & Suites, Hotel & Conference Center, Mt. Pleasant
1/25/07	Lansing Community College - West Campus, Lansing

**JANUARY 22-24, 2007**

**NOSPILLS 17<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE, HOLIDAY INN, TRAVERSE CITY, MICHIGAN.** The Northern Michigan Waterways Hazardous Materials Spills Planning Committee (NOSPILLS) is a coordinating, educational organization for potential hazardous material spills and spill prevention to the Great Lakes and tributaries. The theme for this year's conference is "We all Live Here." Speakers are from federal, state, and local agencies and will present a wide range of environmental issues. Vendors will be available to display their products and services; a hospitality evening is planned; and as always, there is plenty of time for questions, answers, and networking. For the first time an emergency response exercise will be conducted with all attendees participating. Information Contact: **Dick Catton**, NOSPILL Committee Chair, 231-271-3580 or 906-586-3415.

**FEBRUARY 2007**

**2007 INTRODUCTION TO MAERS WORKSHOP (MICHIGAN AIR EMISSIONS REPORTING SYSTEMS), VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN.** The 2007 Introduction to MAERS Workshop takes participants step by step through the new MAERS version 2006.0.0 software on computers. This hands-on training is designed for those who are new to MAERS or those who need more comprehensive training on the concepts and software. Workshop participants will learn MAERS software basics, how to complete the electronic forms and submit your report to DEQ, and how to avoid common mistakes encountered when completing and submitting your MAERS report. Workshop attendees will receive the "MAERS Workbook" and other guidance materials. If you plan on attending the Lansing session, you are encouraged to bring your laptop as only a limited number of computers will be available at that site. Registration fee: \$75. A full brochure and online registration form are available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "Upcoming Workshops." Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or Email at [deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov). Information Contact: **Jim Ostrowski**, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-241-8057, or Email at [ostrowsj@michigan.gov](mailto:ostrowsj@michigan.gov). **Please note:** The MDEQ is offering a refresher course on January 9th geared to those who are already familiar with completing the MAERS report.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
2/2/07 – AM Session ONLY	MTEC at Kirtland-Gaylord, Gaylord
2/8/07 – AM and PM Sessions	Kent ISD, Grand Rapids
2/13/07 – AM and PM Sessions	VisTaTech at Schoolcraft College, Livonia
2/20/07 – AM Session ONLY	Lansing Community College, West Campus, Lansing*

\* **For the Lansing workshop, registrants are encouraged to bring their own laptops.**

**FEBRUARY 12, 2007**

**WATERSHED-BASED PLANNING: HOW TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT MEET FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS, COMFORT INN & CONFERENCE CENTER, MT. PLEASANT, MICHIGAN.** The importance of basin-wide management has been underlined by recent guidance from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) which calls for watershed-based plans for all projects supported by competitive funding from the Clean Water Act Section 319 program. This workshop will examine

- the watershed planning process and the product, focusing on how EPA's Nine Minimum Elements fit into the overall watershed planning process. This workshop is intended for watershed group members and managers, public agency staff, planners, consultants, and others active in the water resources planning field. A full brochure and online registration are available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "Upcoming DEQ Workshops." Registration fee is \$25. Registration Information Contact: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or Email at [deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov). Information Contact: **Bob Sweet**, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-335-6967, or Email at [sweetr@michigan.gov](mailto:sweetr@michigan.gov).
- FEBRUARY 21-25, 2007** **MICHIGAN UNITED CONSERVATION CLUBS (MUCC), OUTDOORAMA 2007, ROCK FINANCIAL SHOWPLACE, NOVI.** The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is exhibiting to display departmental information at this annual event. Information Contact: **Thomas Occhipinti**, DEQ Executive Division, 517-373-2379, or Email at [occhipit@michigan.gov](mailto:occhipit@michigan.gov). General information about Outdoorama 2007 is available on the Web at [www.mucc.org/ramal/](http://www.mucc.org/ramal/).
- MARCH 13-14, 2007** **2007 MICHIGAN AGRI-ENERGY CONFERENCE, HOLIDAY INN SOUTH, LANSING, MICHIGAN.** Join farmers, service providers, rural and agricultural leaders, researchers, and state policy makers to learn more about the latest trends in alternative energy solutions at the 2007 Michigan Agri-Energy Conference. National and local experts will reveal ways you can improve your bottom line by capitalizing on the potential of renewable sources like wind and solar, biomass, biofuels and bioproducts. Online registration will be available by early January at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "Upcoming DEQ Workshops." Registration Information Contact: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or Email at [deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov). Information Contact: **Terri Novak**, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-930-3170, or Email at [novaktl@michigan.gov](mailto:novaktl@michigan.gov).
- MARCH 15-16, 2007** **MICHIGAN SCIENCE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION 54<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE, SCIENCE OUT OF THE BOX, AMWAY GRAND HOTEL AND DEVOS CENTER, GRAND RAPIDS.** The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is holding five pre-conference Michigan Environmental Education Curriculum Support (MEECS) training workshops on March 15, 2007. Registration is available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops). To register for the pre-conference trainings, click on "Upcoming DEQ Workshops." Registration Fee: \$25. The DEQ is also holding an overview informational session on the MEECS curriculum during the conference on March 16, 2007. Throughout the conference, the DEQ is exhibiting to display MEECS general information. Information Contact: **Thomas Occhipinti**, DEQ Executive Division, 517-373-2379, or Email at [occhipit@michigan.gov](mailto:occhipit@michigan.gov). General conference information is available on the Web at [www.msta-mich.org/conference/](http://www.msta-mich.org/conference/). Registration for the MSTA conference is available on the Web at [www.msta-mich.org/conference/registration.php](http://www.msta-mich.org/conference/registration.php).

### DEQ CALENDAR

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